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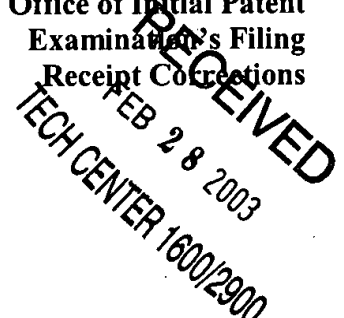
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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/986,464; Filed: November 8, 2001
For: **Process for Preparing Latent Antithrombin III**
Inventor: Göran Karlsson
Our Ref: 2141.0020001/JAG/EEF/D-S



Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Request for Corrected Official Filing Receipt;
2. A photocopy of the Official Filing Receipt with corrections noted in red;
3. An original executed Supplemental Declaration for Patent Application;
4. A photocopy of the Preliminary Amendment filed March 8, 2002; and
5. One (1) return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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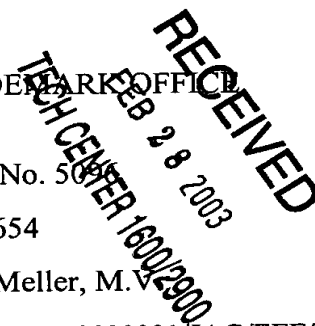
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Appl. No. 09/986,464

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Applicants hereby request that a corrected Official Filing Receipt be issued and sent to the undersigned representative. Specifically, the following corrections to the Official Filing Receipt are requested: **In the Foreign Applications section, please insert "THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF SWEDEN 0004086-5 11/08/2000."** In support of the above request the following are enclosed: (1) a photocopy of the instant Official Filing Receipt with the corrections noted in red, (2) an executed Supplemental Declaration and (3) a photocopy of our file copy of a Preliminary Amendment, filed March 8, 2002, amending the specification to cross-reference the foreign application. It is requested that a corrected Official Filing Receipt be issued, and sent to the undersigned at the earliest possible time.

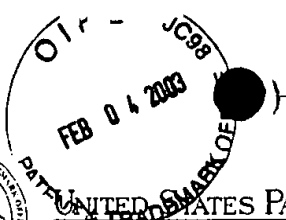
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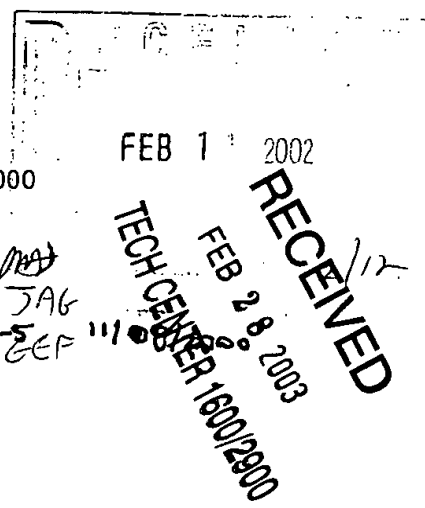
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Title

Process for preparing latent antithrombin III

Preliminary Class

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **Process for Preparing Latent Antithrombin III**,

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

- ☒ was filed on November 8, 2001;
as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 09/986,464; and
was amended on March 8, 2002 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information that became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f), or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or § 365(a) of any PCT international application, which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

0004086-5
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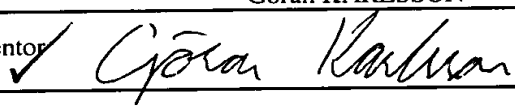

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Preliminary Amendment

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Sir:

Prior to prosecution on the merits, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks. This Amendment is provided in the following format:

- (A) A clean version of each replacement paragraph/section/claim along with clear instructions for entry;
- (B) Starting on a separate page, appropriate remarks and arguments. 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and MPEP 714; and
- (C) Starting on a separate page, a marked-up version entitled: "Version with markings to show changes made."

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net

addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Amendments

In the Specification:

Please substitute the following paragraphs/sections for the pending paragraphs/sections.

At page 1, lines 4-6, substitute the paragraph under the heading "Cross-reference to Related Applications" with the following paragraph:

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 from prior U.S. Provisional application no. 60/252,148, filed November 20, 2000, which is incorporated herein by reference, and from Swedish application no. 0004086.5, filed November 8, 2000 in Swedish.

Remarks

The foregoing amendment is made so that the Cross-Reference to Related Applications reflects Applicant's priority claim. This change is believed to introduce no new matter, and its entry is respectfully requested.

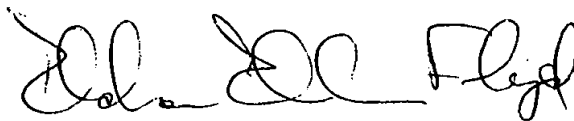
Conclusion

If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

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